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In re application of

Yoshitaka KAWANISHI

Appln. No.: 10/657,101

Confirmation No.: 9852

Filed: September 9, 2003

For: PLASMA DISPLAY PANEL

Docket No: Q77347

Group Art Unit: 2879

Examiner: Vip Patel

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Issue Date: December 20, 2005

REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

ATTN: Certificate of Correction Branch

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Sir:

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.323, please enter the attached Certificate of Correction.

Since the errors noted are believed to be the Applicant's responsibility, a check for the statutory fee of \$100.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

In view of the foregoing, issuance of the Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested.

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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

PATENT NO: 6,977,467
DATED: December 20, 2005
INVENTOR(S): Yoshitaka KAWANISHI

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Under Assignee:

Please delete: ~~NEC Plasma Display Corporation, Tokyo (JP); and~~

insert: Pioneer Corporation, Tokyo (JP)

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**PETITION TO REQUEST CORRECTION OF AN ASSIGNEE'S NAME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.81(b)**

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request to correct an Assignee's name under 37 C.F.R. § 3.81(b).

As noted in M.P.E.P. § 307, such a request should include the following:

- (1) A request that the patent be corrected to state the name of the Assignee;
- (2) A statement that an assignment was submitted for recordation as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 3.11 before the issuance of the patent;
- (3) The \$130.00 processing fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i); and
- (4) A Request for Certificate of Correction with the \$100.00 fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(a).

With respect to items (1) and (2) above, Applicants request that the above-identified patent be corrected to change the name of the listed assignee, "NEC Plasma Display

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Corporation,” to the correct assignee, “Pioneer Corporation.” Before the issuance of the patent, Applicants properly submitted documents indicating that the name of the listed assignee, “NEC Plasma Display Corporation” changed to “Pioneer Plasma Display Corporation,” and such documents were recorded on May 6, 2005, at Reel 016195, Frame 0582.¹ Also, before the issuance of the patent, Applicants properly submitted an Assignment in which “Pioneer Plasma Display Corporation” assigned the rights to the above-identified patent to “Pioneer Corporation,” and such documents were recorded on June 14, 2005, at Reel 016334, Frame 0922.

With respect to item (3), a check for the processing fee of \$130.00 is attached.

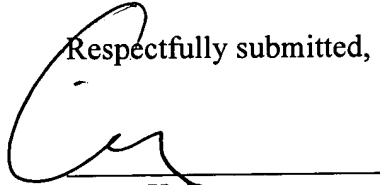
With respect to item (4), Applicants are concurrently submitting herewith a Request for Certificate of Correction and a check for the fee of \$100.00. Furthermore, upon granting the present petition, Applicants respectfully request the Office of Petitions to forward the file to the Certificates of Correction Branch for processing the Certificate of Correction.

¹ Please note that while M.P.E.P. § 307 states that the Petition must include a statement that the “Assignment” was submitted before the issue date, Applicants submit that the similar statement regarding the “change of name documents” clearly satisfies this requirement.

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